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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 37, claim 7, line 54, delete "(a) and".

Column 38, claim 10, line 32, after "carboxylase", please insert --enzyme contains at least six mutations to SEQ ID NO:19, wherein said at least six--.

Column 38, claim 15, line 61, delete "(a) and".

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